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DAYTON, Ohio, April 22, 1974 --- Five scientists renowned for their work in energy related areas will be guest speakers for a Symposium on Energy Resources May 10-11 at the Air Force Museum, co-sponsored by the Air Force Institute of Technology (AFIT) and the University of Dayton.

Nuclear and solar energy will be the topics treated. Leading the Friday afternoon session, Dr. Alfred M. Perry, reactor physicist at the Institute of Energy Analysis, Oak Ridge National Laboratory will discuss the role of nuclear fission as an energy resource and Dr. Melvin B. Gottlieb, director of Plasma Physics Laboratory at Princeton University will discuss the role of fusion as an energy resource.

Dr. Alfred J. Eggers, Jr., assistant director for research applications at the National Science Foundation will speak Friday evening on energy resources, physicists and the National Science Foundation.

Solar energy will be the subject of a presentation Saturday afternoon by Drs. Aden and Marjorie Meinel of the Optical Sciences Center at the University of Arizona. Aden Meinel is an astronomy professor and past president of the Optical Society of America.

A Friday evening social hour and banquet are planned at the AFB Officer's Club. Short papers on research and the teaching of physics will be presented Saturday morning.

The Symposium is part of the spring meeting of the American Physical Society, Ohio section.